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TO AMEMBASSY LIMA IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: PFOR XM ETRD OVIP (EBERLE) OTR

SUBJ: AMBASSADOR EBERLE'S VISIT

1. PRESIDENT-ELECT LOPEZ HAS DESIGNATED DR. RODRIGO BOTERO AS HIS REP TO MEET WITH AMB EBERLE. ALSO PRESENT WITH BOTERO WILL BE HIS NIECE CLARA LOPEZ, WHO HAS BEEN ACTING AS LOPEZ' SECRETARY FOR ECONOMIC AFFAIRS. MISS LOPEZ IS A HARVARD-TRAINED ECONOMIST AND FORMER EMPLOYEE OF AID. BOTERO, WHO IS WELL KNOWN TO US, IS ALSO AN ECONOMIST, VERY BRIGHT, NOW DIR OF THE PRESTIGIOUS FUNDACION PARA LA EDUCACION SUPERIOR Y EL DESARROLLO (FEDESAROLLO). BOTERO IS VERY LIKELY TO HAVE AN IMPORTANT POSITION IN THE NEW GOVT, AND IS IN FACT RUMORED (BUT NOT CONFIRMED) AS BEING IN LINE FOR A CABINET SLOT.

2. IT IS CLEAR THAT BOTERO HAS BEEN DESIGNATED BY THE PRESIDENT ELECT TO LISTEN. PRECISE LINES, POLICY, AND EVEN ORGANIZATION OF THE NEW GOVT IS NOT YET FORMED. BOTERO IS UNLIKELY TO MAKE COMMITMENTS FOR THE FUTURE, BUT THIS APPEARS TO BE AN EXCELLENT CHANCE TO INFORM THE NEW PRESIDENT OF OUR POINTS OF VIEW.

3. THE APPOINTMENT IS SET FOR 3:00 PM. WE HAVE SET THIS UP AS AN INFORMAL CONVERSATION, AND WE SUGGEST THAT NO MORE THAN THREE PERSONS ACCOMPANY AMBASSADOR EBERLE, IN ADDITION TO THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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